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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the application of:

KITAYAMA et al.

Serial No.: 10/051,973

Filing Date: January 16, 2002

For: WAVEFORM DATA ANALYSIS  
METHOD AND APPARATUS  
SUITABLE FOR WAVEFORM  
EXPANSION/COMPRESSION  
CONTROL

Examiner: D. Warren

Group Art Unit: 2837

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Arlington, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated May 18, 2004, for which a response was due on August 18, 2004, and for which a three-month extension of time is requested to extend the date of response to November 18, 2004.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: